

**CALIFORNIA STUDENT AID COMMISSION**  
**Nine-Month Student Expense Budgets**  
**1998-99 Academic Year**

ALLOWANCE	WITH PARENTS	CAMPUS HOUSING	OFF CAMPUS
<b>TUITION AND FEES<sup>1</sup></b>	<----- ACTUAL INSTITUTIONAL CHARGES ----->		
<b>BOOKS AND SUPPLIES<sup>2</sup></b>	<----- \$648 PER ACADEMIC YEAR ----->		
<b>FOOD<sup>3</sup></b> Per Month: Per Year:	\$ 276 / MO \$ 2,484 / YR	ACTUAL INSTITUTIONAL CHARGES <sup>4</sup>	\$ 190 / MO \$ 1,710 / YR
<b>HOUSING<sup>5</sup></b> Per Month: Per Year:	INCLUDED IN ABOVE		\$ 492 / MO \$ 4,428 / YR
<b>TRANSPORTATION<sup>6</sup></b> Per Month: Per Year:	\$ 77 / MO \$ 693 / YR	\$ 61 / MO \$ 549 / YR	\$ 89 / MO \$ 801 / YR
<b>PERSONAL / MISC<sup>7</sup></b> Per Month: Per Year:	\$ 165 / MO \$ 1,485 / YR	\$ 135 / MO \$ 1,215 / YR	\$ 179 / MO \$ 1,611 / YR
<b>CHILD / DEPENDENT CARE</b>	REASONABLE EXPENSES WITH ADEQUATE DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED BY THE STUDENT, DEPENDING UPON AGE AND NUMBER OF CHILDREN		
<b>LOAN FEES</b>	FOR STUDENT LOAN BORROWERS, ACTUAL OR AVERAGE LOAN ORIGATION AND INSURANCE FEES		
<b>TOTAL</b> , Excluding Allowances based on actual institutional charges Per Month: Per Year:	\$ 590 / MO \$ 5,310 / YR	\$ 268 / MO \$ 2,412 / YR	\$ 1,022 / MO \$ 9,198 / YR

1 Includes all mandatory fees.

2 Does not include purchase of a computer.

3 Includes food, snacks, meals on campus.

4 If contract is for less than nine months, adjustment may be made at the rate of \$276/month or fraction thereof.

5 Includes dorm charges, rent, utilities, household supplies, etc.

6 Includes minimal vehicle maintenance.

7 Includes clothing, laundry and dry-cleaning, personal care, gifts, recreation, etc.

NOTE: Budgets are based on average expenses reported by students at the University of California, California State University, and independent institutions in the 1994-95 Student Expenses and Resources Survey (SEARS), adjusted for inflation and adjusted to simulate the inclusion of expenses of community college and proprietary school students (from 1991-92 SEARS data) who were not included in the 1994/95 SEARS Survey.